

BRACKY BRANCH FIELD

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LEGAL NOTICE

STATE OF LOUISIANA, OFFICE OF CONSERVATION, BATON ROUGE, LOUISIANA.

In accordance with the laws of the State of Louisiana, and with particular reference to the provisions of Title 30 of Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, a public hearing will be held in the Conservation Auditorium, 1st Floor, State Land & Natural Resources Building, 625 North 4th Street, Baton Rouge, Louisiana, at 9:00 a.m., on **TUESDAY, MAY 9, 2000**, upon the application of **PALMER PETROLEUM, INC.**

At such hearing the Commissioner of Conservation will consider evidence relative to the issuance of an Order pertaining to the following matters relating to the **Rodessa Formation, Reservoir A**, in the Bracky Branch Field, Red River Parish, Louisiana.

1. To establish rules and regulations governing the exploration for and production of gas and condensate from the Rodessa Formation, Reservoir A.
2. To create two (2) drilling and production units for the exploration for and production of gas and condensate from the Rodessa Formation, Reservoir A, such units being designated ROD RA SUA and ROD RA SUB.
3. To force pool and integrate all separately owned tracts, mineral leases and other property interests within each of the proposed units with each separate tract sharing in unit production on a surface acreage basis of participation.
4. To designate an operator of, and unit wells for, the proposed units as may be appropriated.
5. To provide that future wells drilled to the Rodessa Formation, Reservoir A, be located no closer than 660 feet to any unit line and no closer than 2,000 feet to any well completed in, drilling to or for which a permit shall have been granted to drill to the Rodessa Formation, Reservoir A.
6. To consider such other matters as may be pertinent.

The Rodessa Formation, Reservoir A, in the Bracky Branch Field, Red River Parish, Louisiana, is defined as that gas and condensate bearing interval encountered between the measured depths of 4,910' and 5,050' in the Arkla Exploration Company - W L Mangham Jr No. 1 Well, located in Section 15, Township 13 North, Range 10 West.

A plat is available for inspection in the Office of Conservation in **Baton Rouge** and **Shreveport**, Louisiana.

All parties having interest therein shall take notice thereof.

BY ORDER OF:

PHILIP N. ASPRODITES
COMMISSIONER OF CONSERVATION

Baton Rouge, La 3/22/00;3/25/00
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IF ACCOMMODATIONS ARE REQUIRED UNDER AMERICANS WITH DISABILITIES ACT, PLEASE CONTACT DEPARTMENT OF NATURAL RESOURCES, PERSONNEL SECTION AT P.O. BOX 94396, BATON ROUGE, LA 70804-9396 IN WRITING OR BY TELEPHONE (225) 342-2134 BETWEEN THE HOURS OF 8:00 A.M. AND 4:30 P.M., MONDAY THRU FRIDAY WITHIN

TEN (10) WORKING DAYS OF THE HEARING DATE.